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EXPORT OF PULSES
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a): whether foodgrains like Maize, Jawar, Bajra are produced in Bagalkot District of Karnataka and exported to other countries;

(b): if so, the details thereof;

(c): the details of the transport facilities accorded till date since last three years; and

(d): if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a) & (b): As informed by the Government of Karnataka, in Bagalkot district of Karnataka, Jowar and Bajra are mainly grown for self consumption as these grains are staple food of the region, while Maize is consumed by poultry and starch industries.

(c) & (d): Such information are not maintained.